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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: N.Y.A.
BRIG BARNUM ELLIOTT)
: Group Art Unit: N.Y.A.
Application No.: N.Y.A.)
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Filed: Concurrently Herewith)
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For: SENDING MESSAGES TO)
RADIO-SILENT NODES IN)
AD-HOC WIRELESS NETWORKS)
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under
37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under
37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed
to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of
the listed documents are also enclosed.

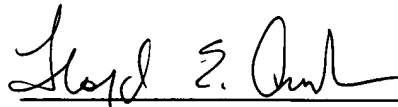


CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

The applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached at (781) 466-4016. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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		6,028,857	02/22/00	Poor	370	351	
		5,913,921	06/22/99	Tosey et al.	709	220	
		5,881,246	03/09/99	Crawley et al.	395	200.68	
		5,850,592	12/15/98	Ramanathan	455	7	
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		"Link-State Routing," John Moy, Ch. 5, from "Routing in Communications Networks," ed. Martha Steenstrup, Prentice Hall, 1995.					
		"Packet Radio Routing," Gregory S. Lauer, Ch. 11, from "Routing in Communications Networks," ed. Martha Steenstrup, Prentice Hall, 1995.					
		"The Organization of Computer Resources into a Packet Radio Network," R.E. Kahn, IEEE Trans. On Communications, Vol. COM-25, No. 1, January 1977, pp. 169-178.					
		"Multicast Networking and Applications," C.K. Miller, Ch. 1, 3, and 8, Addison-Wesley, 1999.					
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		"Analysis of Routing Strategies for Packet Radio Networks," J.J. Garcia Lune Aceves et al., Proc. Of the IEEE INFOCOM '85, Washington, DC, March 1985, 292-302.					
		"The DARPA Packet Radio Network Protocols," J. Jubin et al., Proc. Of the IEEE, Vol. 75, No. 1, January 1987, pp. 21-32.					
		"Routing Algorithm Issues," Radia Perlman, Ch. 9, from "Interconnections: Bridges and Routers," Addison-Wesley Publishing Company, Inc., 1992.					
		"Packet Radio Network Routing Algorithms: A Survey," J. Hahn and D. Stolle, IEEE Communications Magazine, Vol. 22, No. 11, November 1984, pp. 41-47.					
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